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WE are trotting at Mexico faster than they are at Independence, Iowa, and as rapid as they are at

all the go and we would suggest that some of our business men go out little more speed down town.

Hon, C. G. DANIEL, Chairman of campaign in charge has appointed

tween Stone and Warner at Kahoka, applause: ises the following headlines: "Face to Face." "Stone Flings Warner's Into His Teeth." "Talks of 'Evil Birds.' "Tells Who Burdened Missouri and Who Relieved Her." viction by Democrats. " " Major complicated duties, in keeping the Varner Simply Dodges."

and have the amount specified then you can see the point. Joseph Potts and Luke Morris have just purchased two saddles in England, which cost them about \$40. They tariff. While most everything we purchase is protected in the same way, in a case of this kind you see the cold hard figures more plainly and still our Republican consumers ontinue to vote the ticket with their

G. D. FERRIS has handed us a copy of a New York paper contain-Attorney Green, of Fulton county. nd says he voted the ticket until that could fall from human lips. it became a party of "fraud, sham and blackmail." He denounces man in New York and has a large

be found a speech delivered by Hon. Lon. V. Stephen in St. Louis last week. It is one of the ablest and brightest of the campaign. He is thoroughly posted on all the issues of the day and his address has the right ring. This speech is worthy of a close reading and we wish it could be placed in the hands of every tax-payer in this grand old State. Lon. V. Stephens stands up for Missouri. He knows how to stand to point to Missouri as it is to-day.

up for Missouri and he is not afraid And such standing up has made it the grandCommonwealth Democrats are so proud of. Jersey Cattle Show.

The exhibition of Jersey cattle at the Fair Thursday was as good as ver took place in this State. Each animal was an extra good one. Col. -\$150,000.00. W. F. Whitney, of Marshall, acted s expert judge and it was difficult r him to decide. The cattle were I.C. Club. In the cow ring Tony PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, wint above Geo. A. Morris' Cicero Whitney could not decide the tie Mr. Diaramid, of the Kansas Ch Live Stock Indicator, was called in and gave second premium to

> Judy Frank 3rd. There were nit cows competing. s. C. F. Clark's heifer took firs premium in the two-year-old ringwith B. B. Runkle's Karma Pogrsecond. Mrs. Clark's heifer is an extra good animal and is a

every time. A. Morris took first on yearer and B. B. Runkle sec-

A. Morris's herd, headed by t St. Lambert, was award-

is badly iminished by too much

wagon and for it.

A SPLENDID SPEECH.

State Treasurer Lon V. Stephens Makes a Fine Impression in St. Louis - The Speech in Great Demand Throughout the State.

and see them in use. We need a of Lon V. Stephens at St. Louis nerve, and congratulate you upon srtipes as the people of the North? "I shall call your attention to just has made assaults upon our party last week. We have had several your success.' and we take pleasure in publishing Republican rule our country has South as in the North? the Audrain county Central Comit in full. On the occasion rebeen for years filling up with mittee and a member of the Executive ferred to there was a large crowd tramps; because from every quarter my friends and neighbors, and the to every known means to estrange backs, and picturing them as hiding an account of the discussion be- terrupted by loud and prolonged

MR. STEPHENS' SPEECH. "FRIENDS AND FELLOW-CITIZENS -The Treasury Department, over which I have the honor of presiding, is distinctively a working department. 'Gov. Fletcher's 'Pen' Ring." "It In it, oratory and eloquence consist is Contrasted With Noland's Con- in close attention to its delicate and



ng an article in reference to District cash straight and the books bal-

and, if I find I do not worry you, I Major William Warner.

always found the grand old party, in and determined.

Co., only during the campaign.

THE PEOPLE SHOULD RULE. people, but an institution for their Democratic ticket?

etailed it from his which tries to mischievously and whose heart beats in sympathy for Government institution, which they Boss Filley knows it.

the summer land beyond the skies designingly arraign the poor against his fellowmen, should vote for a had been made believe by their self"If there had been a chance for a better people or a happier home the rich. Whenever I run across party that indorses such a destruct- constituted masters, who also made Warner when he was nominated, than ours,

sible for this state of affairs?

levied and collected to meet the ex- the circumstances. penses of the Government economihough I am to be branded as cheap and nasty for doing so by the per-

cause I was built that way, and you have to go down and suffer in the and are welcome. couldn't make anything else out of crash that will come. It is not me if you would try. My study of strange that true and loyal Dem-

and bosses in this country who Must they be further punished sim- citizens. think the Government is not for the ply because they are voting the

of the people, for the people, and by said: Gentlemen, you at this mo- when I was able to do so, and they hoods? the people. As it is, a little gang ment stand in the gateway that leads have in most instances, proven grateworking order in cases of 25,000 people out of a population to the South. The wealth that is ful to me. I have now, and have althe right side of the needless to add these 25,000 are smell the roses of new hope that many lovable traits.

one of our Western men who has ive measure. It is well in this many of them believe if they voted that chance is lost now because his been able to amass a fortune honest- emergency that there is a just God the Democratic ticket they would be canvass has been a miserable failure ly, with this whole Government who presides over the destinies of returned to slavery. I rejoice to see and a disappointment to all his against him, with laws that beat nations, and who will help us fight that the intelligent negroes are exer- friends. It has been one of abuse him down and rob him by day and back every encroachment of this in- cising their right as free American and villification of a Commonwealth rob him by night, I look upon him sidious monster. Are the Southern citizens to think and act for them- over which he pretends to expect to in wonder and admiration. I al- people not with us to stay? In the selves, and are breaking away from preside as Chief Executive. God ways feel like taking his hand and event of a war with a foreign counthose pretended friends who have forbid. He has driven more men One of the very best speeches saying: 'Old fellow, here's my try would they not fight as bravely bamboozled and robbed them. made during the campaign was that hand. I glory in your spunk, your and gallantly for the stars and CLEVELAND THE VETERANS' FRIEND. by his outrageous methods. He

inquiries for copies of this speech "I am a Democrat because under citizens, be as much interested in the Republicans, and I close. The Re- he has slandered our citizens gener-

To Our Pride in the Past and Our Hope for the Future, Let Us Add Vigorous Work in the Living Present.

MEXICO, MISSOURI, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1892.

present at the new Democratic I hear ominous rumblings of dis- great majority of our people, grow- it from Mr. Cleveland. The Globe- eous mosters, sitting on fences pickwigwam in the 19th ward in the content, and because everywhere I ing poorer and poorer every year al- Democrat in every issue calls upon ing their teeth with their knives R. M. White, editor of this paper, City of St. Louis. On being in- read of strikes, lockouts, boycotts though they are practicing rigid the soldiers to vote against President and squirting tobacco juice at grasstroduced by Chairman Caruth, Mr. and bread riots, and where half- economy and are working as hard Cleveland because of his opposition hoppers. How many men are there Stephens delivered the following starved workingmen are being shut as ever while the protected army of to them and his lack of sympathy in Missouri (it matters not whether lows: Best wheat, Andrew Victor, The St. Louis Republic, publish- address, which was frequently in- down by Pinkerton's detectives like pets who have been taken in part- for their schemes. The pension rec- they were born here or elsewhere) Audrain; oats, John Spotswood, dogs because they complain. Every- nership upon the ground floor with ords show that President Cleveland who approve of these attacks upon fifty ears white corn, Frank Robwhere there are troubles and con- the Government, 'who toil not, has been the best friend the Union them and their country? flicts between capital and labor, neither do they spin,' are growing soldiers have ever had. The records "This is our home; our interests corn, Bud Davis, Mexico; twentythreatening the very life of the coun- richer and richer and more insolent reveal to us the fact that President are here, the State's success is our five ears sweet corn, W. H. Morris, Is not the situation serious? and defiant every year. Is not this Cleveland approved 77 more private success, our interests are identical, Mexico; timothy seed, Chas. Hath- his Short Horns. He secured sec-Is not the Republican party respon- most flagrant discrimination? It pension bills during the first two we love old Missouri, the home of away, Mexico: best display of corn ond on heifer, three years old and DEMOCRATIC RULE MEANS LOW TAXES. Republican living that this state of Grant and Hayes approved in 12 memories; we have always stood premium, offered by Wm. Llewellyu, and under three; bull, any age or "I am a Democrat because I want affairs is wrong, and if he will pur- years. He approved 137 more than up for her, and we propose to stand J. S. Atkins, Audrain. the tax taken off the necessities of sue any sort of investigation he will Garfield and Arthur approved in up for her now and forever, and we life and placed upon the luxuries of see where the blame lies, and he four years. He approved the act denounce Mr. Warner as a traitor and life, and I only want enough tax will know what his duty is under which increased to \$12 per month slanderer. We propose to protect our potatoes, first, Mrs. N. Barnes,

"I am a Democrat because the not have to possess a war record to told, 1,524 private pension bills were fool fellows East that they had a beets, first, Mrs. Sam'l Hume, Au- his Merino buck. "Jumbo." Republican party is without fixed stand in upon the ground floor. passed and approved, while Presi-show of 'redeeming Missouri.' And drain, second, Chas. Ackman, Hatprinciples, and is inconsistent in all The Democratic party, I rejoice, dent Cleveland approved 1,264 pri- then they say 'a son of a Jew be- ton; squashes, first, D. P. Hume. anced. I want to so administer the things. It has never fulfilled a sin-recognizes that the war is over, vate pension bills during three years traved them. that state, who has become tired of affairs of the office as to make a gle promise made us. It appears To be eligible to the highest honors and four months of his administravoting the Republican ticket. Mr. record that will speak louder and to me to be a party of fraud, hate, the party has to bestow one has tion. Green now sees the error of his ways more eloquently than any words deception, hypocrisy and extrava- simply to measure up to the Jeffer- "The records also show President ner to fall into someting 'equally as Hooton, Mexico; cantaloupes, first, gance. Its leaders and bosses have sonian requirement; he must be Cleveland appointed more Union good' as the Governorship. Web-Robert Hooton, Mexico, second, J. "I say the Treasurer's office is grown insolent, defiant and corrupt, honest, he must be capable. Gov- soldiers to office than any other ster Davis, his traveling chamber- C. Woods, Audrain; pumpkins, first, not one which requires the services and I believe it conducive to the ernor Russell of Massachusetts is President. In the Pension Office maid, will also be taken care of, he Miss Lulu Harrison, second, Chas. the Force Bill and "McKinley of an orator, but as I have been in- welfare of the people at large that yet under 40, and twice he has been there was disbursed in payment of hopes. monstrosity." Green is a prominent vited to address you, I will, if you there should be a change in the adelected Governor of the Bay State, pensions \$16,000,000 more during will excuse my stammering tongue ministration of the national affairs. and is spoken of in connection with the first two years of President Cleve- treated, is no less than Hon. Isaac Hooton, Mexico: turnips, first, J. and my homely phrases, endeavor "I am a Democrat because I love the Presidency. In our own State land's administration than during Isaacs, ex-secretary of the State S. Neal, Audrain, second, Mrs. to give you the reasons for the faith my country. I love the flag with there is Governor Francis, yet under the previous two years under Re- League of Republican Clubs and Sam'l Hume, Audrain; carrots, that is within me, and to tell you its stars and stripes, and I love my 40, now closing up a term of four publican rule. During the first two a prominent Hebrew business man Robert Hooton, Mexico; parsnips, why I am a Democrat.' I want to wife and I love my babies. I live years as Governor of Missouri, and years of President Cleveland's ad- at Kansas City. also expose one or two frauds and for them and I would die for them. his record is one of which he has ministration there was 15,409 more falsehoods of the Republican party My happiness consists in their hap- every reason to be proud. On our pensioners enrolled than during the iness. I am no pessimist. I all present State ticket there are several two years previous under President want to pay my compliments to ways look upon the bright side of young men. The Mayor of Kansas Arthur's administration. During the false impression everywhere they Woods, Andrain, second, W. A things, and had rather bet on sun- City is still a young man, but he is year 1887 there wers 5,017 more go that there is something fearfully Wayne, Audrain; peppers, first "I am a Democrat, first, because shine than storm in America every fully qualified to govern satisfact- original pension certificates issued rotten in the Treasury Department. Mrs. K. M. Dutewiler, second was a born Democrat. I drew time, but I believe, I fear, if our orily that great city. All over the than had ever been issued in one They don't say what it is. It is Robert Hooton, Mexico; cauli-Democracy from a mother's breast. principles don't soon prevail, the State the young men are filling im- year since the war. We find, too, true we did have a little accident in flower, Robert Hooton, Mexico; cel-I have been raised a Democrat, and country will be completely gobbled portant political positions of honor this was all done with a reduction in the Treasury Department a few ery, first, Robert Hooton, Mexico, since reaching the age of maturity, up by Wall street, and instead of and responsibility. Within the the clerical force in the Pension Deversago, but you all know acci-I have ratified the course pursued stars upon our flag there will be dol- councils and ranks of the Democrat- partment of 124. Do not these fig- dents will happen in the best regulat- Mexico; largest pumpkin, prem-

the great cardinal principles of the ocrats, apprehensive as they have I said that I would expose a few of the soldiers during the long time have been given for it. The State given by Ricketts & Emmons Dry various political parties convinces ever cause to be, stimulated by a the frauds and falsehoods of the Reme that I ought to be a Democrat. consciousness that God and Right publican party. Now for one glaring hands? "I am a Democrat because I have are upon their side, are so anxious fraud: Eight years ago, when trying to secure the support of the colvictory as well as in defeat, in sea- THE FORCE BILL A DAMNABLE THING. ored voters for Mr. Cleveland. I was sons of trials and tribulations, hold"I am a Democrat because I am met by them with the statement, teenth was Mrs. M. A. Mulligan, Missouri, I will say if the RepubliDahlem, Audrain, second, L. E. ing aloft the people's banner, fight-opposed to the force bill and bay-coupled with the fear that if the widow of a distinguished Union cans haven't any confidence in the Scott, Audrain; display quinces ing the battles of the masses as onet rule. I am glad that it was Democratic party assumed control soldier. It is a well-known fact that examinations made of the Treasury Mrs. K. M. Dutewiler, Mexico against the classes and trying to left for the Republican party of the Government they would be rebeat back the common enemy. I to produce the man with heart so turned to their masters in slavery. ment were more soldiers employed C. J. Parsons and at another time Audrain, second, Mrs. D. W. am a Democrat because I am in favor black and mind so depraved as to No sort of denial or argument could than during Mr. Cleveland's adminisof equal rights to all and special bring into existence such a dama- convince them to the contrary, and tration. privileges to none. I am a Demo- nable thing as the force bill. Its I was only able to secure but a very crat because it appears to me the authors hated humanity and they few of their votes, and those came Judy Frank 3rd, who tied, and Republican party is controlled very hated their country because the from my old friends, who told me pension bills he was an enemy of women a specialty. Regular graduate of the Union soldiers. While Presitive homographic colleges. millionaires and dudes. Unless a country. There is no need for the if harm came upon them I would be dent Cleveland did veto this numman belongs to the millionaires' ill-feeling such a bill would bring responsible. Desperate and unscruber, he approved 1,264 private pen- any of them to come to Jefferson son gave a rocking chair for best ant. club, wears silk stockings and is about between North and South. pulous Republican politicians had sion bills. Of the 199 vetoes 1 was City, take a peep into the treasury, display in this class, awarded to fragrant with the odor of Paris per- Is not the war over, and is it not preached this to the negroes day and aConfederate soldier of nine months' fume he ain't 'in it' with Messrs. time that sectional strife was oblit- night, and they sincerely believed it. service, 4 were deserters, who had books. If they will do so, I will Harrison, McKinley, Warner & erated? Have the Southerners not It provokes me beyond expression to been discharged, 19 were applicants risk what reputation I may have of already suffered beyond their desee these corrupt and cunning white who were not in the service when the being an honest and truthful man Mrs. A. L. Moore, second, Mrs. R. \$105. serts? Have we not read of how schemers taking advantage of their disabilities were incurred, 10 because that they will find no snakes in the M. Daniel, third, Mrs. B. B. Runkle; "I am a Democrat because I be- they returned from the war defeat- simple, confiding natures, and play- the claimants were receiving pen- pot; they will find the cash intact and butter, other than creamery, W. A. lieve the people should run the ed, to find homes in ruins, farms ing thus upon their credulity, in-Government, and not the Govern- devasted, comrades slain, money stead of trying to educate them, mak- by law for their disabilities. On the balanced; and they will find when butter made by unmarried lady in ment the people. It is well known worthless, credit gone, stock killed, ing them better, broader and more same grounds General Grant also they intimate that Auditor Seibert Audrain, Turner, Jackson & Co.'s there is a band of political schemers barns empty and trade destroyed? enlightened and useful men and vetoed such bills as were presented was in any manner responsible for

brain is seat of this remarkable Republicans, and they dictate the fill the air. You can hear the heartfaculty. From the physiologist's nominees of their party, and too beats of progress that come as upon the opposition of 90 per cent. of the for Missouri, his hypocrisy and avert those dangers which threaten point of w the power of memory often with their enormous wealth the wings of heaven. You can negro vote, but up to this date I have demagoguery. Vest, Stone and our peace and prosperity. Your reand great power are able to thwart reach forth your hand and almost not heard of a single negro who was Francis and others have knocked I firmly believe if every Democrat food, by excess of physical ex- the will of the majority of our peo- clutch the gold that the sun rains thrown into slavery. A little investi- him completely out of the box, will do his duty, if all would join ercise, an by education! If this is ple. Their immense power can be down with his beams as he takes gation by them will convince them leaving nothing much of him but a hands in love and hope and press true the ilerate has a better mem- faintly estimated when I tell you his daily journey between the cot- that they were better treated by mouth, which resembles in its size the battle on, our victory will be true the illerate has a better memory than a educated man of the
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there are any factional difthere are any factional that the amory is better in the missouri at its assessed valuation— and granite; the low lands of tobactor and granite; the low lands of tobactor and subordinated in its odor a waft from a quarantor to our common welfare. Let us close up the ranks and follow where summer the in winter, and much better in win than in cold counmonwealths. When we murmur you vote for a bill that would strike message to Congress that an appro-

"I am a Democrat because I find soldier vote, and they have resorted ing element by calling them mossshould strike the most prejudiced years of his administration than our fathers, with all its hallowed that fails to take the association under four; heifer, two years old "The Democrats are opposed to the minors and dependent relatives of ner and the mouthpiece he takes Hatton. Potatoes-First, J. C. cally administered. Although Mr. present nefarious tariff system; we Union soldiers. He approved the around with him, one Webster Woods, Audrain; second, N. P. Harrison says 'A cheap coat makes are opposed to all sorts of favorit- act which increased the pensions of Davis, who has disgraced himself Morris, Mexico. White beanscheap man,' and Mr. McKinley ism, we are opposed to discrimina- 10,030 crippled and maimed soldiers on several occasions by telling the First, John Dahlem, Audrain; secsays 'Cheapness is akin to nasti- tion and we are opposed to central- from \$24 to \$30 per month and world how ashamed he is of Mis- ond, Robert Hooton, Mexico. Flour ess.' I for one want to get my ization. We are in favor of fair from \$30 to \$37 and \$45 per month. souri. coat as cheap as possible, even play and a square deal all around. He approved the act which placed "Warner is running for Governor meal-Wm. Pollock M. & E. Co.

in early life. I am a Democrat be- lar marks, and wife and babies will ic party the young men are invited ures show that President Cleveland ed families. Every dollar that was ium, fine overcoat, given by L. G. and do they not show the Republi- been paid back with interest into display garden produce by one per-"In the beginning of my address cans failed to do their duty toward

"Again, of the 17 pension agents Noland now wears stripes behind appointed by President Cleveland 16 the prison bars. were Union soldiers and the seven-

"It is claimed that because President Cleveland vetoed 199 private "During the greater part of my en that President Cleveland was a slandered one of our noblest and boyhood my closest companions were friend of the soldiers, and have I purest men. especial and exclusive benefit. I "I think it was Grady, in a speech the black boys. At every point along not proven that the reports of his believe this should be a Government delivered in a Northern city, who their journey I have helped them, enmity to them are frauds and false-

WARNER AND HIS HYPOCRISY. left side of the brain is of 65,000,000 souls own one-half there, hidden no longer from human ways had, a strangely affectionate of time and an imposition upon none the less of any who may difrom which it may be in- of the wealth of our country. It is eyes, flashes in your face. You can feeling for the colored man. He has your patience to dwell upon Major fer with me. I honestly think the honey comb, W. P. Morris, Mexico; Burplus Fund 10,000.00.

W. A. MORRIS, JOSEPH COONS, President.

R. ARNOLD, S. J. BUCKNER, Cashler.

Cashler. Ass't Cashler. Boyd. B

from him than he has drawn to him

And should we not all, as American another fraud and falsehood of the leaders that were absolutely false; publicans know the strength of the ally and he has insulted the farm-

the pensions of 102,000 widows, State from the assaults of Mr. War- Audrain; second, Chas. Ackman,

THE YOUNG MAN'S PARTY. upon the pension roll 25,000 sur- on a tract. He has instructions Specimen broom corn, J. A. Stev-"I am a Democrat because the vivors and widows of the Mexican from Washington City and tips from fumed crowd of millionaires and Democratic party does not discrim- War. He approved the act giving Wall street. Let's see. It was dudes, to whom I referred a few inate between the young and the arrears of pensions to 10,000 wid- \$65,000 of boodle they were to reold men, and because a man does ows. Under Republican rule, all ceive if they could convince these ico, second, C. Ragsdale, Mexico; City carried off the blue ribbon on

and others are trying to leave the ico; tobacco on stalk, first, J. C. was and is a friend of the soldier, lost by the unfortunate Noland has Adams, Wm. Wells, Mexico; best the treasury and my receipts in full son, premium pair \$10 blankets, they had supreme power in their has not lost the fractional part of a Goods Co., Robert Hooton, Mexico. 1 cent by that defalcation. Mr.

"As Treasurer of the State of by Hon. J. M. Weeks, the one a Steele, Mexico; display green fruits, prominent banker and Republican Mrs. D. W. Steele, Mexico; dried politician of St. Louis, the other a apples, Mrs. Irvin Sims, Audrain; prominent Republican of Jasper dried peaches, Mrs. Robert Graham, county and the Republican candi- Audrain; tobacco, last year's crop, judgment for plaintiff as prayed for. date for Auditor of the Treasury first A. C. Moore, Mexico, second, Department, I would be glad for E. B. Moore, Mexico; J. W. Macount the cash and look at the John Dahlen, Audrain. him for approval. Have I not prov- the Noland shortage that they have

"Now, fellow citizens, I have given to you in as plain language as I have at command the reasons why I am a Democrat and why I think "I feel that it would be a waste you should be a Democrat. I think Warner, and in exposing further his situation alarming, and calls for boiled ham, Mrs. Robert Graham. sponsibility at this time is appalling. C. Moore, Mexico.

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FAIR AWARDS.

Premiums Given in the Agricultural Classes During the Week.

CLASS M-FARM

Premiums were awarded as fol bins, Audrain; fifty ears yellow any age or breed.

CLASS N-FARM.

enson, Audrain. CLASS O-GARDEN.

Best cabbage, first, A. Hitt, Mex-Audrain, second, Robert Hooton, Paris, Mo., T. A. Bartlett, Jack-"In the event of Harrison's suc- Mexico; watermelons, N. Barnes, cess it has been arranged for War- Audrain; muskmelons, Robert drain county. Ackman, Hatton; tomatoes, first, N. "This gentleman, so roughly Barnes, Audrain, second, Robert Robert Hooton, Mexico; onions, Mrs. Jessie Adams, Audrain; egg "Major Warner, Major Murphy plant, Mrs. K. M. Dutewiler, Mex-

CLASS P-ORCHARD.

Display grapes, first, A. Hitt, Mexico, second, Mrs. Headington Mexico; display apples, first, John

CLASS Q-BUTTER. Fresh butter, five pounds, first, premium, Miss Maud Daniel.

CLASS R .- SOAP, ETC. Hard soap, first, Mrs. H. E. Williams, Palmyra, second, Mrs. A. C. Moore, Mexico; soft soap, first, Miss Fannie Craig, Auxvasse, second, Mrs. S. A. West, Auxvasse; cider vinegar, first John Dahlem, Audrain, second, A. Hitt, Mexico: West, Auxvasse, second, Mrs. A.

T. W. Ragsdale, of Paris, Mo.,

carried away many blue ribbons

under four; heifer, two year old and under three; heifer, one year old and under two; heifer, one year old; bull, any age or breed; herd of cattle, consisting of one male and four females, any breed, and bull three years old and over. He received second on Hereford bull, thorough-

A. B. Hensley of Montgomery City, received many premiums on breed, and herd of cattle consisting of one male and four females. Al-Premiums awarded: Best sweet so, first on bull, two years old and under three, and Hereford bull,

Sampson Bros. with their Oxford Downs were awarded first and second premiums on buck, medium wool; ewe, medium wool; herd, one buck and two ewes, any breed -Wm. Pollock M. & E. Co. Corn and buck and ewe, one year old and under two. Mr. Roby of Audrain county re-

> ceived first and second awards on Merino ewe and second on Merino C. N. Johnson of Montgomery

> Farm products: T. W. Ragsdale,

sonville, Ill., Wm. Dudley, Au-Breads, cakes, etc. Mrs. Dr.

Preserves, pickles, etc. Miss Hitt, Miss Talbott, Mrs. Brown. ROBERTS AND M'GEE.

they Make a Close Finish in Ledger Popular Voting Cor Contest-Both to go to St. Louis.

The LEDGER's contest for the most popular farmer in Audrain county closed at noon to-day. The contest was very interesting and rather close between Roberts and Bush until the last day when Roberts and McGee made a close finish leaving Mr. Bush only slightly behind. Votes were received from all parts of the United States showing what an interest is taken in our home people by those taking the LEDGER who live away from home. All the farmers in the contest were very popular and we are only sorry that every one of

them could not be elected. Circuit Court Proceedings. Lottie Tankerly vs. Curt Tankerv. Oct. 12, 1892, divorce granted. ing Ass., continued.

W. F. Dowell vs. C. S. McClure. Robinson & Farrel vs. Fielding

estate, appealed to KansasCityCourt, appeals defendent appealing. H. E. Miller granted citizens Sidney Kilgore vs. Geo. Chivers,

R. B. Hooton vs. C. J. Wilson, continued on application of defend-W. A. Kendall vs. E. Sullivan et al., | judgment for plaintiff for \$17. J. H. Crawford vs. W. G. Arm-

strong, judgment for plaintiff for John W. Stephens vs. John Mc-Carty et al., jury fail to agree and

case continued. L. H. Terrill, son of Mrs. A. W. Terrill, a teacher in the Mexico Public Schools, died in Monroe City of diebetes last week. His death was unexpected and is a severe blow to Mrs. Terrill. Mrs. Terrill is well known to the readers of this paper, her deceased husband formerly being president of Hardin College. Mrs. Terrill is a most estimable lady and a splendid teacher. She has the sympathy of the entire

Hon. W. E. Black, cousin of Dr. C. Black, who died in this county last week is the Democratic candidate for Legislature from Davies

The boys have quite a joke on with his Short Horns, in fact was our young friend James Carroll.

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